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REMARKS

This Amendment is submitted in connection with an RCE.

The two independent claims recite actions which are performed upon an operative ATM, which is connected to a network. As the claims state, that ATM is (1) connected to a network, (2) is effective to dispense cash to customers, and (3) can debit a customer's account, for example.

The Suer reference discusses steps taken in the manufacturing process. But no operative ATMs, as claimed, are present. Any ATMs in Suer do not possess the following characteristics, as claimed:

- -- They cannot dispense cash to users, and cause a charge to the user's account.
- -- They are not connected to a network.
- -- They are not located in public places.

Further, the independent claims state that some of the operative ATMs are not modified. That is not seen in Suer.

Respectfully submitted,

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